31 July 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 31 July 1969

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D/ONE related that NIE 11-13-69, The USSR and China, is now scheduled for USIB consideration on 14 August. The Director expressed the hope that any difficulties can be ironed out with USIB principals prior to the meeting.

D/ONE reported receipt of a request from State to provide Dr. DuBridge with a copy of the Memorandum to Holders of NIE 11-8. The Director agreed, subject to the concurrence of USIB principals.

Maury read from the Congressional Record of 29 July on Senator John Sherman Cooper's remarks regarding our briefing on Soviet Y-Class submarines.

The Director noted his approval of Houston's recommended course of action following his 22 July appearance before the Ervin Subcommittee. He asked Maury to proceed and to contact Senator Stennis (see OGC 69-1401 dated 30 July 1969).

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Executive Director briefed on our meeting yesterday with Jim Clark, Bill Fischer, and John Hurley of the Bureau of the Budget on the budgetary and personnel ceiling outlook.

DDCI noted that he and the Executive Director met with Civil Service Commission Vice Chairman James Johnson yesterday and passed along Johnson's estimate that the Daniels bill will pass.

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The Director briefed on his telephone conversation with Admiral Rickover, and Chamberlain for DD/S&T outlined the Admiral's apparent interest in the preparation of a shorter paper on the Soviet nuclear submarine capabilities.

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Goodwin reported receipt of a call from the <u>Kansas City Star</u> requesting a China backgrounder for some special piece which is scheduled to appear on 28 September. The Director concurred in providing the backgrounder.

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